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"AECAPLIN reiterated that his contact with Hans SCHMALSCHLAEGER is purely a social contact, and that the latter is employed with the Bonn Foreign Office (in addition to his ties with the factory in Nuernberg). AECAPLIN stated further that he gives no opinions nor information which even border on a sensitive nature to SCHMALSCHLAEGER, who solicits AECAPLIN's opinion concerning various USSR affairs. AECAPLIN assured his MOB o/o that his contact with SCHMALSCHLAEGER has been restricted to a very few visits by the latter except when the latter assisted AECAPLIN during his disturbed matrimonial situation.

"AECAPLIN stated that SCHMALSCHLAEGER, during WW II, was chief of Stab Walli, which fell under the jurisdiction of the Abwehr in Poland which embraced Abwehrstelle III Warsaw, Lemberg (Lwow) and Krakow. Earlier, that is 1942, SCHMALSCHLAEGER was member of Abwehrgruppe IV which embraced Abwehrtruppe IV in which AECAPLIN was employed. AECAPLIN claims that he had never collaborated personally with SCHMALSCHLAEGER during WW II.

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